

Docket No.: 1046.1133/РІК/ЛМ

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Makoto YOSHIOKA, et al.

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CONTENT SALES PERIOD VERIFYING SYSTEM AND CONTENT For:

DECRYPTION KEY EFFECTIVE PERIOD VERIFYING SYSTEM

Group Art Unit: 2766

Examiner: G. Gregory

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Communication from the Patent Office mailed July 9, 1999. Please supplementally amend the Amendment filed May 24, 1999 as follows. We apologize for the omission.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please AMEND claim 17 as follows.

17. (AMENDED) A computer readable storage device comprising:

a user via a computer; a content assessable]